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AND/OR THE INTEGRITY OF A MESSAGE BY MEANS OF A PUBLIC
EXPONENT EQUAL TO THE POWER OF TWO

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2005 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 14, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 7 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 14 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes in the Appendix.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.